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Trump once said that he could shot someone on Fifth Avenue and he would lose no supporters. He’s not wrong. Anyone thinking that this newest and latest fake selective outrage scandal will have any electoral impact is an idiot on purpose. The New York Times recently obtained Trump’s taxes for several years back and it shows what we should’ve expected: that Trump pay lots of taxes, but due to his terrible business skills, lost more than we gain. As a result, many years he paid nothing. This is not surprising; however, it is par for the course. Trump is a billionaire and as a result, pays less taxes than you. If you don’t know who to thank for that, it would be Reagan republicans and Clinton Democrats.

Starting with Reagan, who moved us away from demand-side economics ala FDR and towards supply-side economics. This basically means that instead of redistribution to the workers it went instead to the capitalists (aka the 1%). Clinton further moved the Democratic party to the right by repealing the New Deal banking regulations and low and behold, a decade later they all crash. It’s almost like giving rich people money from the middle class is a bad idea. Even Ann Coulter went off on Trump, saying billionaires should be paying more taxes than the rest of us. I agree. However, neither party will ever do that, since both are funded by billionaires.

And thanks to decades of right-wing corporate fearmongering about Marxism, people on both sides of the political debate have no language in which to talk about class warfare and redistribution without being called a commie. As a side note, Biden's campaign has setup a calculator that will tell you how much more tax you've paid than Trump. What is ironic about this is that, it equally applies to the billionaires who fund the Democratic party.

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